

COMMUNICATION NODE RECEIPT OF NODE-OUTPUT INFORMATION FROM PROCESSORLESS CENTRAL EQUIPMENT

ABSTRACT

A first communication node of a plurality of communication nodes connected with
 5 processorless central equipment in a system sends one or more first portions of node-output
 information to the processorless central equipment. One or more additional communication
 nodes of the plurality of communication nodes send one or more additional portions of
 node-output information to the processorless central equipment. The first communication
 node receives from the processorless central equipment a portion of central-output
 10 information. The portion of central-output information comprises the one or more first
 portions of node-output information and the one or more additional portions of node-output
 information.